



## PATENT APPLICATION

## **RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2861**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Ryuichi KOJIMA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2861

Application No.: 10/715,499

Examiner:

L. NGUYEN

Filed: November 19, 2003

Docket No.: 117804

For:

DROPLET EJECTING HEAD AND DROPLET EJECTING APPARATUS

## **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the April 25, 2006 Office Action and November 17, 2006 Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.